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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA**

NORTHERN DYNASTY MINERALS LTD.
and PEBBLE LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY, *et al.*,

Defendants,

and

UNITED TRIBES OF BRISTOL BAY, *et al.*,

Intervenor-Defendants.

Case No. 3:24-cv-00059-SLG

NOTICE OF DESIGNATION OF LEAD COUNSEL

Pursuant to the Court's August 22, 2024 Order (ECF No. 95), Trout Unlimited designates Paul Werner of Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP to serve as its lead counsel with authority to

participate in and speak on its behalf regarding case scheduling matters and disputes involving the administrative records.

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Respectfully submitted,

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